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Response under 37 C.F.R. 1.116
Expedited Procedure Requested
Examining Group. 2161

In re application of : Naohiko NOGUCHI

Application No. : 10/004, 813

Mail Stop Amendment
Group Art Unit: 2161

Filed : December 7, 2001

Examiner: Brian D. GODDARD

For : **FILE MANAGEMENT METHOD, CONTENT RECORDING/PLAYBACK
APPARATUS AND CONTENT RECORDING PROGRAM**

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Commissioner for Patents
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a **Response under 37 C.F.R. 1.116** in the above-captioned application.

☐ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.

☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

☐ A Request for Extension of Time.

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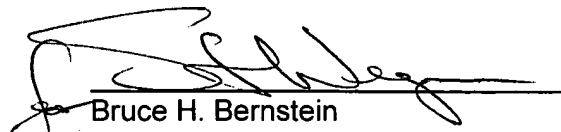
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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of July 25, 2005, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on October 25, 2005, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections set forth in the above-mentioned Official Action in view of the herein contained amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

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